A Challenge,

From *Richard Grauener* Gentleman and Souldier, Scholler to *Thomas Muſgroue*, & Seruant to *Robert Battell*, Prouis Maſters of the Noble Sience of Defence, againſt *Thomas Blunne* Shoo-maker, and Scholler to *Thomas Turpin*, Maſter of the Noble Science of Defence; this to be performed at the Red Bull in St. Iohns ſtreet, on Tueſday next, being the 20. of October, 1629. If God permit.

IAdicious Gentlemen and others, I being a Souldier, from me expect no complementall phraſes, for in my opinion that more ſtuffes the eare, then pleaſe the eye; then to leaue off this empty outſide of verball threatnings, I in plaine termes challenge the ſaid Thomas Blunne at theſe eight ſeuerall weapons hereunder named, wiſhing him to bring his beſt ſkill and reſolution with him. This to be performed at the time and place aboue named, deſiring from the ſpectators ſtage-roome, and from him his vttermoſt of his mallice, while then I reſt.

The names of the Weapons.

Long Picke,	Halfe Picke,
Backe Sword,	Sword and Buckler
Single Rapier,	Rapier and Dagger,
Sword and Dagger.	Holberd.

And I the ſaid Thomas Blunne will be ready at the time and place appointed, to anſwer this Challenger, If God permit. Viuat Rex.